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PERSONNEL,PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS
LOK SABHA

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SETTING UP OF A CORE GROUP
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Will the Minister of PERSONNEL,PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether in the wake of terrorist attacks in New York and Washington the CBI propose to set up a core group on terrorism in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the other steps taken by the CBI to tackle the terrorism in the country?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES, MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINIS PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS, MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND M OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF ATOMIC ENERGY AND SPACE. (SMT.VASUNDHARA RAJE)

(a)to(c): Yes. A Core Group on Terrorism has been set up in CBI which is mandated to create emergency response teams for investigation into serious incidents of terrorist crimes at a short notice, as and when required.